IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re App : Fionula M. Brennan et al : December 19, 2007

S.N. : 10/088,801 : Group Art Unit 1644

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For : THERAPEUTIC METHODS AND COMPOUNDS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for an additional two-month extension of time to respond to the final Official Action mailed June 19, 2007 in the above-captioned patent application to extend the period for response until December 19, 2007. An earlier one-month extension of time was granted extending the shortened-statutory period until October 19, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees listed in 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper and the filing fee of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1265.

Respectfully submitted,

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